# Timeless design and award-winning sound performance: Bang & Olufsen expands its Beovision TV portfolio



Bang & Olufsen today announced the expansion of its TV portfolio with the new 48" Beovision Contour, updates to Beovision Eclipse-55 2<sup>nd</sup> Generation and the addition of Beovision Harmony Motorized Floor Stand to its outstanding collection.

"Sound is more than half the picture" is at the heart of Bang & Olufsen's Beovision philosophy. Combining an integrated 3-channel powerful sound system with the latest generation OLED TV technology from LG Electronics, renowned for excellent visuals, Bang & Olufsen's TV portfolio guarantees a truly immersive home entertainment experience. This winning formula makes Bang & Olufsen one of its kind in the market by offering the best in performance whilst maintaining an uncompromising approach to design and craftsmanship. With the launch of Beovision Contour, Bang & Olufsen's TV portfolio now offers a range of TVs available in 48" to 88" screen sizes with three diverse concepts to suit any requirement:

- The minimalist 48" Beovision Contour delivers an all-in-one TV and music experience achieved using sound technology based on the award-winning Beosound Stage
- The 55" and 65" Beovision Eclipse offers a superior TV and music experience and can be connected to external speakers via the built-in surround sound decoder to create even more cinematic impact. The addition of a motorized floor stand and wall bracket allows for a high degree of placement flexibility

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Beovision Harmony is designed as a centerpiece for large screen cinematic home entertainment, covering
screen sizes 65" to 88". With a built-in 7.1 surround sound decoder, it is possible to connect eight Beolab
speakers such as Beolab 18, Beolab 50 and Beolab 90 for the ultimate cinematic experience. The customer can
choose from an array of different colours and finishes to create a unified aesthetic across products. It is also
possible to create a bespoke finish on Beovision Harmony, Beolab 50 and Beolab 90 for those who wish to own
a completely unique product

#### **Beovision Contour**

Beovision Contour is an all in one cinema and music experience within a single unit, allowing you the freedom to use it as a primary or secondary depending on the size of your home. Beovision Contour can be placed anywhere for optimum décor integration, whether it be in the kitchen, bedroom or living room, positioned on the floor, wall or table. Beovision Contour has been created to conceal unnecessary clutter whilst revealing timeless design elements and natural materials to compliment any home interior. Choose from three colourways available in Silver, Black Anthracite and a beautiful Gold Tone, with matching fabric or wood veneer finishes for the speaker front cover. The wood veneer is available in Light Oak or Smoked Oak to match your colour option for the aluminium frame. All cables are routed through the centre rear of the TV and hidden from view, offering a holistic 360-degree design, which allows the TV to remain visually appealing from any angle.

"We are excited to launch Beovision Contour, a screen viewing experience that doesn't compromise on quality or design aesthetics despite its size. Our customers tell us there is a need for a mid-sized screen solution with flexible placement options built to the highest standards of performance and design, which is why we made Beovision Contour", says Christoffer Østergaard Poulsen, SVP of Product Management at Bang & Olufsen.

Three stand options have been designed as an integrated element of Beovision Contour to create its minimalist appearance. The aluminium floor stand can be manually turned 180 degrees either side to ensure the best viewing experience and has a light and modern aesthetic. If you would rather mount your Beovision Contour on the wall, Bang & Olufsen have cleverly engineered a wall bracket that allows you to move and angle the TV to suit your viewing arrangement. Bang & Olufsen have also created a tabletop stand made from a solid, rectangular aluminium billet to ensure that the TV can be placed on a shelf or floor.

Evolved from Bang & Olufsen's design language and designed in collaboration with Torsten Valeur, Beovision Contour is classic and simplistic, stripped of superfluousness. The magnificent aluminium frame that outlines the screen inspired the name of 'Contour', showcasing Bang & Olufsen's unrivalled expertise in aluminium manufacturing at Factory 5 in Struer, Denmark. The anodization to the surface of the aluminium has been achieved by a process of silver polishing before etching to create a satin finish that is both refined and delicate.

Behind the speaker cover of Beovision Contour are eleven powerful speaker drivers and amplifiers with sound technology from the award-winning Beosound Stage. It also includes 4 x 4-inch bass drivers custom designed with focus on allowing bigger cone movement which provides an improved bass performance down to 30 Hz. Equipped with the latest-generation 48" OLED screen from LG, Beovision Contour is second to none when it comes to realistic colour rendering, and absolute black levels which allows for the full Bang & Olufsen TV experience. All integrated sources can be conveniently controlled by the Beoremote One, a remote crafted from a single, extruded piece of aluminium.

## Beovision Eclipse 2nd Gen

After the success of the best-selling Beovision Eclipse 1<sup>st</sup> Gen available in the most popular screen sizes of 55" and 65", Bang & Olufsen have launched Beovision Eclipse 2<sup>nd</sup> Gen. This has been updated to include the latest LG OLED GX screen technology and a sound-centre upgrade to cater for the new screen. The Beovision Eclipse 2<sup>nd</sup> Gen offers a superior TV and music experience due to its integrated powerful 3-channel stereo setup, which ensures crisp and detailed speech and dialogue. It is now possible to connect wired and wirelessly to additional Beolab speakers via the integrated surround sound decoder, enabling a fully-fledged 7.1 channel immersive cinematic experience. You can now turn the TV screen to your favourite viewing position with the push of a button thanks to the addition of a motorized floor stand or motorized wall bracket, offering a high degree of placement flexibility.

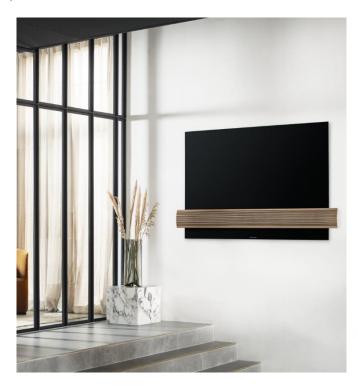
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# **Beovision Harmony Floor Stand**

The concept for Beovision Harmony was to integrate a very large screen in a main room by staging the experience with magical movement. This created a solution to the dominance of a black screen when a TV is not in use and was achieved by partially covering the screen with the speaker covers. The iconic Bang & Olufsen cinematic sound performance is delivered with brilliant speech intelligibility and power, whilst the imaginative design transforms Beovision Harmony into much more than a lifeless black screen when not in use.

This TV has been taken to the next level with the addition of a new motorized floor stand available in Silver, Brass tone, Bronze tone and Gold tone to match the aluminium covers. Beovision Harmony Floor Stand gives you more placement choices and provides a perfect viewing experience from every angle. The motorized stand has been carefully orchestrated to complement the movement of Beovision Harmony and provides an even more impressive staging of the experience.

Bang & Olufsen's Beovision portfolio demonstrates its uncompromising approach to design, craftmanship and sound performance to offer the ultimate ultimate cinematic and immersive audio-visual moments.





#### Pricing and availability

The Beovision Contour, inc. wall bracket (RRP 5700 EUR / 5150 GBP / 40000 DKK), Beovision Eclipse-55 2<sup>nd</sup> Gen, inc. motorized floor stand (RRP 9955 EUR / 8650 GBP / 73100 DKK) are available online and in Bang & Olufsen stores in Europe from November 2020. Global availability from February 2021.

Beovision Harmony 65" inc. wood covers and motorized floor stand (RRP 17400 EUR / 15100 GBP / 127400 DKK) is available online and in Bang & Olufsen stores.

To find out more, follow the conversation at @bangolufsen on <u>Instagram</u>, <u>Facebook</u>, <u>Twitter</u>, <u>YouTube</u> and <u>Linkedin</u> using #BeovisionContour, #BeovisionHarmony and #BeovisionEclipse.

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